

# Brainstorming❄️ Winter Gatherette 2025

## Opening

- Introductions
  - Focus
  - Playful
  - Ocean
  - Revel
  - Io / Wild Spirit
  - Polaris' Aura
  - Yuvi
  - Faelan
  - Dash
  - Here
- No ideas are bad ideas
- We need dreamers
- We need do'ers
- We need dreamers who do

## Ideas

- Extended Gatherette, multiple venues
  - Yuiv's space offered
- Opening ritual on Thursday evening

- Magic Dinner / stone soup
- Sleepover
  - Sat night?
  - Yuvi can bring sleeping mats for sleepover
  - WanderHaus inflatable mattresses
- Breakfast on Sunday
  - Yuvi / Faelan
- Sat night dinner
  - Io
- Figure Drawing
  - Host: any / Oracle
  - Lucky and Focus couple model
  - Playful model
- Continue organizing meetings prior to Gatherette
  - Two to three more Gatherette
  - Using the meeting for breakout groups to talk
- Aura offered their vehicle for Gatherette Shuttle
- Psychic Friends
- Notice / informational sharing to bring more awareness to substance use
  - From PFN?
- Dance Party
  - Noise / sound concerns (can't be so loud)
  - Rogue House venue
  - Daytime / Afternoon
- Quiet Hours (at midnight?)
  - Quiet-Down hours (at 10 or 11pm) - a vibe shift to calm down the energy

- Whisper-Hour
- Coloring Hour
  - Aura to facilitate
- Cosmic Soup
  - ....Presents Wicked
  - Hope wants to participate
  - Focus may facilitate
  - Energetic pre-show
  - Pre-show cuddle hour
- Daily Heart Circle
  - Noon-2pm daily
  - Thur later for more people to be able to join
  - Two a day (one at noon, one at evening)
- Group decoration of the Dreaming
  - What do the residents want?
- Theme
  - Talk about it in the coming days
  - Create an invitation / graphic call to the Gatherette
  - How to create the theme?
    - Submit ideas on paper at potluck
    - Figure it out at the next meeting, and it's done
    - Playful and Ocean to help take paper submissions at Potluck
    - Oracle to make theme submissions digital inbox
- Revel to share out calls to gatherings from Wolf Creak
- Slurp in Print returning?
- Bus Trip
- Meditative hour

- Potentially before bus trip
- Makeup Station
  - mirror with lights and permission to make a mess
  - makeup donation / left at station
- Phone Station
  - specific spot where people can leave their phones
  - chargers available
  - phone use encouraged at this location
  - Sticky notes to identify phones from each other
- More details about the rumpus room, what you should come prepared with, how to use the space, etc.
  - Is douching allowed here?
  - Is there lube available?
  - Soften the playspace (more fabrics, softer things)
  - Make the space more inviting
- Kink evening / workshop
  - Saturday night
- Crafting hour (making spirit jars with Luxx) was great last year
- Having chocolate around to nibble on to help ground
  - Heart Circle chocolate
- Daily Craft Hour
  - Hosted by Aura
  - Potentially at Raven's Hearth
- Outings for the days before / following to outside locations
  - Art Institute
  - Leather Archives
- Decompression weekend after
  - chill vibes

- Heart Circle the Sat after Gathering
    - at Yuvi's
- Energetic intention of that time of year
  - Imbolg
  - Energetic yoo-hoo to Spring
  - Time to sow some seeds
  - Make brigid dolls
  - Preparation for Spring to come
  - The time of year when Brigid gets pregnant / planting of seeds
- Lux Luna in chat
  - I would love to make a drawing of the theme I would love to volunteer my services to create sketches and through group consensus arrive at a winning drawing
- Faelan open to host small planning groups at their space
- Call for folks who want to teach classes
- Music and Sensual meditation
  - Ocean and Revel to host
  - Could pair well with Bus Trip day
- Singing Bowl hour by Oracle
  - Could pair well with Bus Trip day
- Faelan could help run a candle making workshop
- Ensure a central repository of knowledge to share with upcoming years
- Fire-pit night at Raven's Hearth or Hope's
- Dance party the weekend before the Gatherette
  - Feb 1st Rouge House Dance Party
  - Movie night on Sun after the dance party
- Bird Sanctuary visit

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